HEY!
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YOU NEED TO DRY OFF!
WAIT KUZURE!
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KUZURE DID!
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LIAR!
FUTON BAM!
NGHA!
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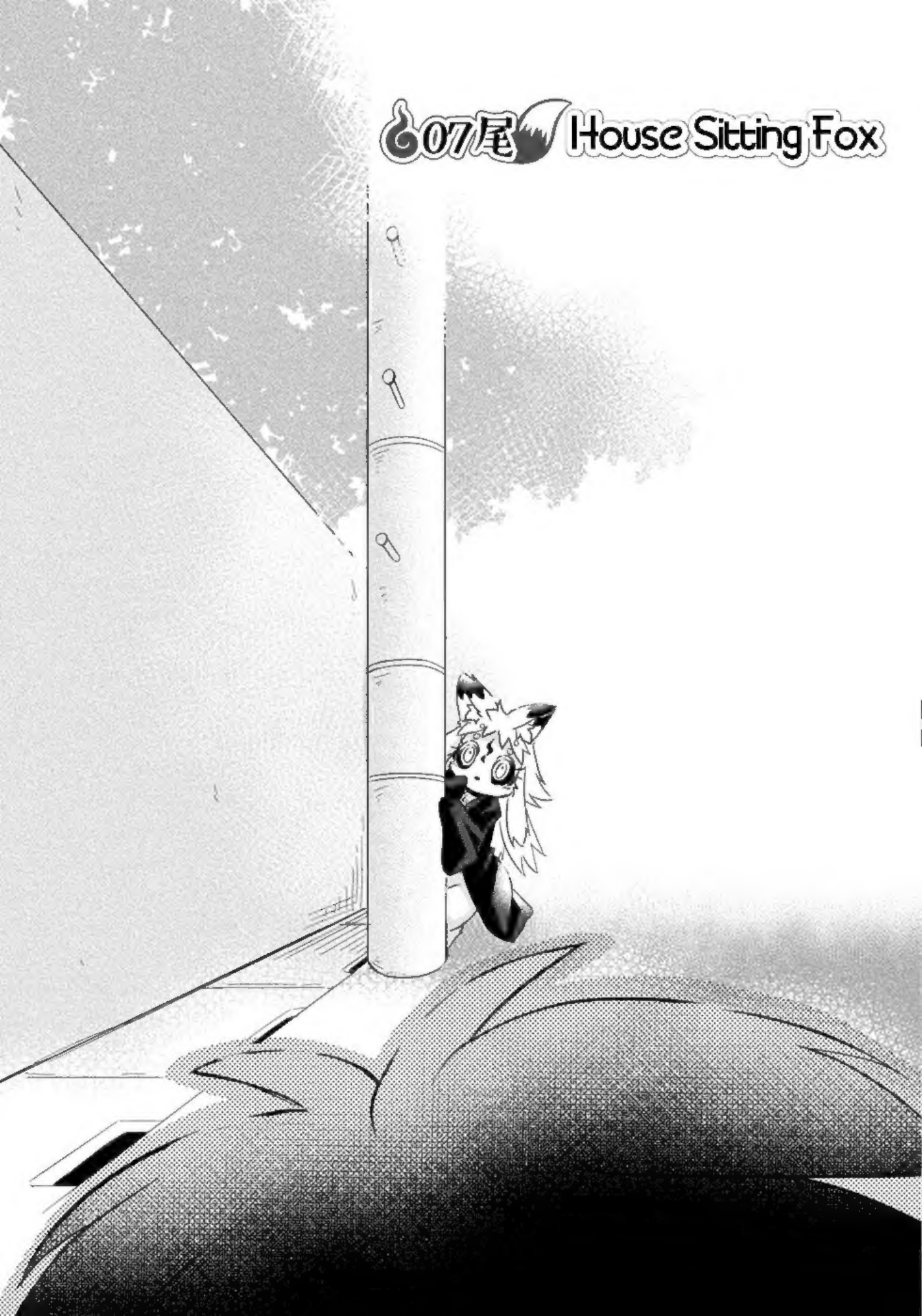
NAO-HITO'S SO GOOD AT IT...♡
THAT'S A WEIRD WAY OF SAYING IT...
YOU'RE DOING IT ON PURPOSE AREN'T YOU?
MM... FEELS GOOD...
HUH?
ARE YOU GONNA BE ALRIGHT TOMOR-ROW?
SO TROUBLE-SOME...

607尾 House Sitting Fox



I'M OFF TO SCHOOL, TAKE CARE OF KUZURE FOR ME!
I'LL BE BACK AS SOON AS IT'S OVER.
DON'T WORRY, LEAVE IT TO ME!
THANK YOU!
KUZURE, YOU CAN'T FOLLOW ME OKAY?
OKAY!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING RIGHT AFTER HE SAID NOT TO!
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B-BUT, NAOHITO WENT SOME-WHERE!
...YOU WEREN'T LISTENING WERE YOU...
NAOHITO STILL HAS HIS NORMAL LIFE, NOJA,
YOU CAN'T ALWAYS BE CLINGING TO HIM, NOJA,
HE CAN'T BE WATCHING YOU WHILE AT SCHOOL.
Well, That's why he was looking for someone to take care of her, noja.
WELP, NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT, HE'LL BE BACK IN THE EVENING,
WHEN I'M DONE MY TASKS, I'LL KEEP YOU COMPANY, NOJA,
UNTIL THEN, YOU CAN TAKE A LOOK AROUND THE SHRINE.
MGH...

OH MY, IF IT ISN'T KUZURE-CHAN!
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WHAT ARE YOU UP TO? FEELING DOWN?
...MEANIE FOX.
IT'S MITSUNE! MITSUNE! TRY TO REMEMBER IT!
KUZURE HATES YOU!
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...DO YOU WANT ME TO TELL YOU WHERE NAOHITO-SAN WENT?
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FIRST I'LL TELL YOU THAT NAOHITO-SAN WENT TO A PLACE CALLED "SCHOOL",
REALLY!? YOU'LL TELL?
YUP, I WILL!
SCHOOL IS A LEARNING FACILITY THAT HUMAN CHILDREN ATTEND,
IN THIS COUNTRY, YOU ARE FORCED TO SUBORDINATE TO IT FOR A FIXED PERIOD OF TIME,
DOZENS OF PEOPLE LOCKED IN A ROOM,
IT'S A PLACE WHERE EVERYDAY YOU'RE CRAMMED WITH KNOWLEDGE YOU MAY OR MAY NOT USE,
"SCHOOL" IS THAT KIND OF TERRIBLE PLACE!?
YES... BUT THE RULES MUST BE FOLLO-WED...
SINCE THEY'RE RANKED ON ACADEMIC MERIT, THEY'RE ALL COMPETING WITH EACH OTHER...
NO TIME TO REST, FORCED TO EXCERISE, ECHAUSTED BOTH MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY...
CLIQUES FORM WITHIN THE SCHOOL, AND IF YOU DON'T FIT IN YOU CAN BE ISOLATED FOREVER...

KUZURE WILL GO RESCUE NAOHITO!
KUZURE WON'T LEAVE HIM IN SUCH A DANG-EROUS PLACE!
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I WONDER HOW LONG NAOHITO-SAN CAN LAST...

KUZURE UNDER-STANDS!

YOU'LL BE FINE, MY KUDA-GITSUNE WILL GUIDE YOU.
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BUT I DUNNO WHERE... WHAT DO I DO?

THAT'S RIGHT, I'M ACTUALLY A GOOD PERSON!!
YOU... ARE ACTU-ALLY NICE?

I'LL TAKE RESPON-SIBILITY FOR DISTRACTING OTSUNE-CHAN,
THAT WAY YOU CAN FOCUS ON RESCUING NAOHITO-SAN!
I have a bad feeling about something...

MITSU-NE...
I CAUSED YOU SOME TROUBLE,
THIS IS MY APOLOGY.
KUZURE'S OFF!
THANK YOU!
UWAH!
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This way!
Which way?
...WAS THAT?
YOU'RE FINALLY HERE MIYAKI-SAMA!
YOU SHOULD BE GETTING HERE SOONER NOJA!
O-OTS-UNE-CHAN!?
HAHA... IT'S BEEN SO BUSY LATELY THAT I OVER-SLEPT.....
THAT'S NO GOOD NOJA!
CHANGE, AND GET TO WORK!
...OKAY.
FU FU FU...

SO THIS IS THAT SCHOOL THING WHERE NAOHITO IS?
Sei ja
A lot of people...
Naohito said not to come,
There could be a commotion if Kuzure goes in
First is finding Naohito.
Kuzure is
Smart
Then Kuzure can save him
AND FOR THAT,

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What do you need?
IT WAS REALLY IN THERE...
SHE'S AMAZING!
ALRIGHT, YOU,
GO LOOK FOR NAOHITO WITHOUT GETTING SEEN!
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EEEH!?
Give my thanks to Matsuo.
It's really comfortable in there.

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
"IF I GO IN IT WILL CAUSE A PANIC, LIKE IF SOME STRANGE STRAY DOG BROKE IN?"
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MGH! WHAT NOW?
NEED TO THINK OF SOME...
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THAT'S BECAUSE IT WAS MADE FOR THAT?
?
YOU FIT IN HERE, SO CAN'T YOU BE SMALLER?

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!?
Kuzure Just has to make you smaller

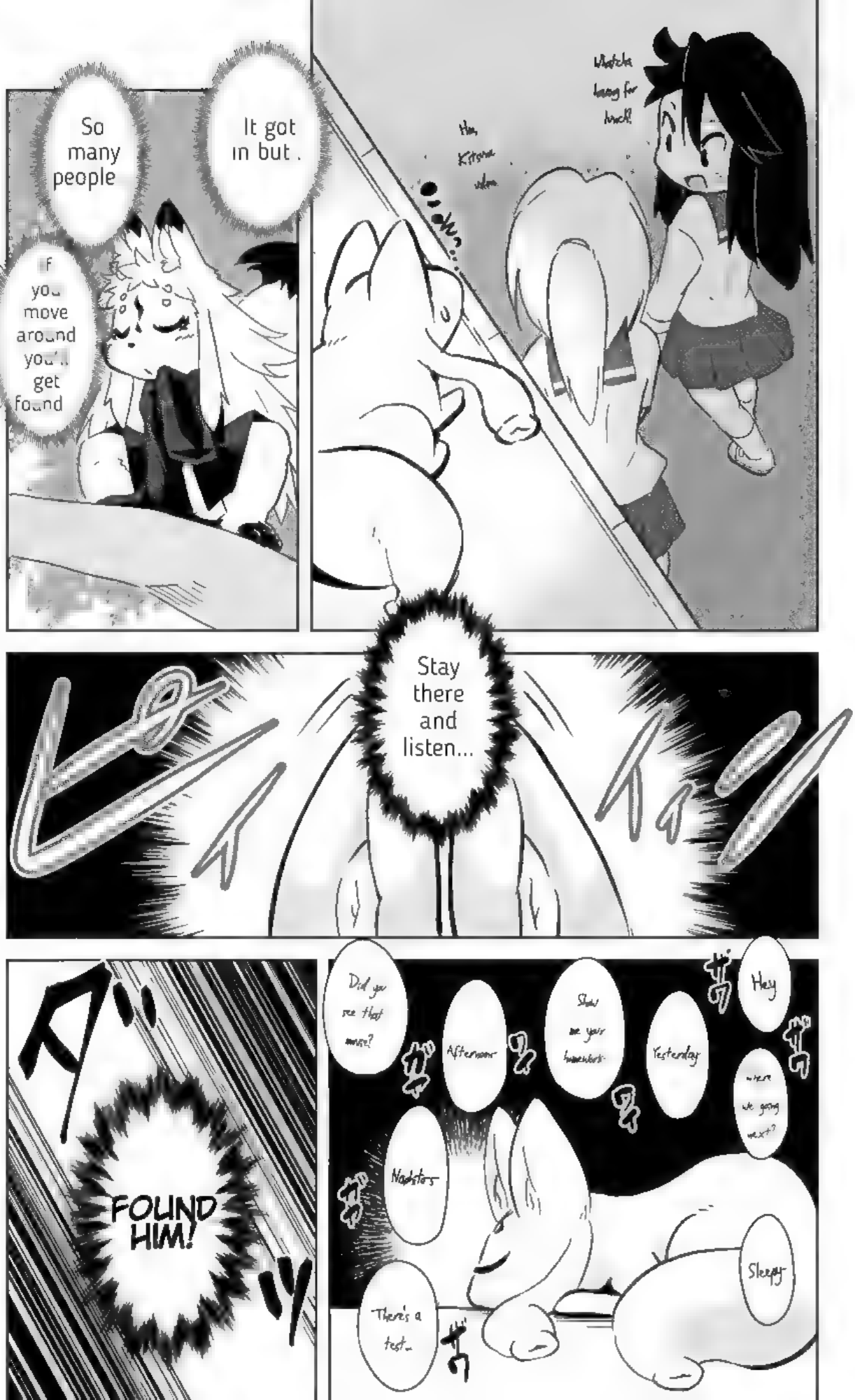
I KNOW.

ANY-WAY, LET'S HURRY AND GET THIS DONE WITH,
IF WE TAKE TOO LONG THEY'LL RUN OUT OF BREAD.
OH SHIT!
W-Wait! You two~

WHAT THE?
A CAT FIGHT? THAT SURPRISED ME!

YOSH!

MAKE SURE KUZURE KNOWS WHAT YOU SEE AND HEAR!
NO...
REMODELLING COMPLETE! YOU'RE NOW SMALLER!
FIND NAO-HITO!
NOW GET GOING!


So many people
It got in but .
If you move around you'll get found
Whatcha looking for Inuki?
Hm, Kitsune odor
Stay there and listen...
FOUND HIM!
Hey
Where we going next?
Yesterday
Show me your homework
Afternoon
Did you see that movie?
Sleepy
Nodders
There's a test.

It was somewhere around here
YOU FORGOT THAT YOU MADE A BENTO?
SHUT UP!
I USUALLY BUY ONE SO I FORGOT!
BUT THAT'S RARE.
...A LOT'S BEEN HAPPENING SO I MADE ONE.

I'll watch and see if there's a way to help!
Found him!

Tasty!
Could I have a bite?
See?
...
.....

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HONESTLY THAT MITSUNE...!
DOING EVERYTHING SHE CAN TO MESS WITH PEOPLE...
AND KUZU-RE'S KUZU-RE!
THAT FOOL GETS FOOLED RIGHT AWAY!
AH!
THERE SHE IS!
HEY! KUZURE! GET DOWN FROM THERE!
WE'RE GOING BACK RIGHT NOW!

WHAT'S GOT YOU SO DOWN...?
NAOHITO'S HAVING FUN...
IS KUZURE... TROUBLING NAOHITO AND ANNOYING HIM...?
FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN HIM SMILE LIKE THAT,
HIS SMILE ALWAYS LOOKED A LITTLE TROU-BLED...
NAOHITO SMILES WHEN WE'RE TOGETHER BUT...

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ANYONE WOULD BE AT LEAST A LITTLE ANNOYED!
THAT'S BECAUSE YOU'RE ALWAYS JUST DOING WHATEVER YOU WANT AND BOTHERING PEOPLE!
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Okay
THEN WE'LL TALK.
ANYWAY, LET'S GET BACK TO THE SHRINE.
NAOHITO GAVE IT TO ME SO IT WOULDN'T GET EATEN BEFORE NOON.
IT'S YOUR BENTO NOJA~
...WHAT'S THIS?
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WELL, EVEN IF YOU ARE A LITTLE ANNOYING, NAOHITO ISN'T THE TYPE TO SAY ANYTHING NOJA.
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OKAY!
ANPAN!
THERE'S ALSO ANPAN AS A SNACK, NOJA~
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HE FEELS LIKE HE'S YOUR GUARDIAN NOJA.
HE'S A SERIOUS GUY,
THAT'S IT!
IF YOU TRIED TO BE MORE RELIABLE, THINGS MIGHT CHANGE NOJA.

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KUZURE WILL BE MORE RELIABLE!
THEN I WILL MAKE NAOHITO SMILE LIKE THAT!
...
But how do I do it.
Y-YEAH.
THANKS OTSUNE!
KUZURE WILL DO HER BEST!
NAO! HI! TO!

I didn't get to do anything
MHMM! LEAVE IT TO US NOJA!
THANK YOU OTSUNE AND OJI-SAN,
I THINK I'LL BE NEEDING YOUR HELP FOR A WHILE...
I'M BACK, DON'T CLING TO ME!
WELCOME BACK!
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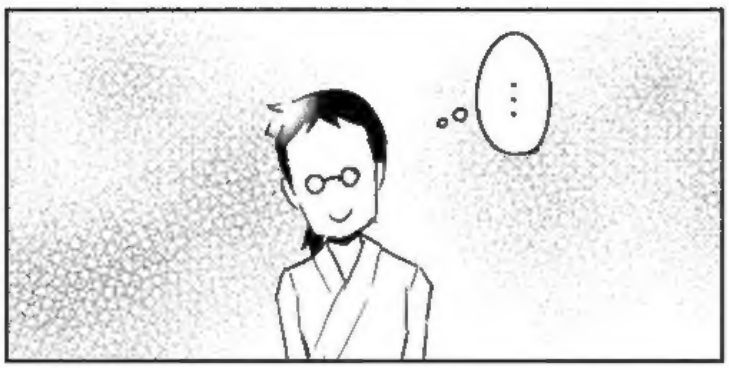
WELL, SHE SEEMS LIKE A GOOD GIRL
IS KUZURE-CHAN BACK TO NORMAL? SHE SEEMED DOWN EARLIER?
IT'S CAUSE OF WHAT YOU DID.
IT WAS THANKS TO MY ADVICE THAT THINGS WORKED OUT NOJA!
OH, OTS-UNE-CHAN,
IS IT GONNA SNOW TOMO-RROW?
You...

Does my existence have any meaning...?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Did you shrink...?
...Are you alright?
Cheer up...